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Traditional approaches for content-based image querying typically compute a single signature for each image based on color histograms, texture, wavelet tranforms etc., and return as the query result, images whose signatures are closest to the signature of the query image. Therefore, most traditional methods break down when images contain similar objects that are scaled differently or at different locations, or only certain regions of the image match. In this pape ...

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The integration of distributed, heterogeneous databases, such as those available on the World Wide Web, poses many problems. Herer we consider the problem of integrating data from sources that lack common object identifiers. A solution to this problem is proposed for databases that contain informal, natural-language "names" for objects; most Web-based databases satisfy this requirement, since they usually present their information to the enduser through a veneer of text. We des ...

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The need to automatically extract and classify the contents of multimedia data archives such as images, video, and text documents has led to significant work on similarity based retrieval of data. To date, most work in this area has focused on the creation of index structures for similarity based retrieval. There is very little work on developing formalisms for querying multimedia databases that support similarity based computations and optimizing such queries, even though it is well known ...

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The integration of distributed, heterogeneous databases, such as those available on the World Wide Web, poses many problems. Herer we consider the problem of integrating data from sources that lack common object identifiers. A solution to this problem is proposed for databases that contain informal, natural-language "names" for objects; most Web-based databases satisfy this requirement, since they usually present their information to the enduser through a veneer of text. We des ...

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The paper presents a similarity-based retrieval framework for a software repository that aids the process of maintaining, understanding, and migrating legacy software systems [12]. Designing a software repository involves three issues: (1) information content; (2) information representation; and (3) strategies for accessing repository artifacts. Assuming the architecture presented in [12] we extend the retrieval system to support imprecise queries, iterative browsing, and diverse users. Because o ...

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The need to automatically extract and classify the contents of multimedia data archives such as images, video, and text documents has led to significant work on similarity based retrieval of data. To date, most work in this area has focused on the creation of index structures for similarity based retrieval. There is very little work on developing formalisms for querying multimedia databases that support similarity based computations and optimizing such queries, even though it is well known ...

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Images are increasingly being embedded in HTML documents on the WWW. Such documents over the WWW essentially provides a rich source of image collection from which user can query. Interestingly, the semantics of these images are typically described by their surrounding text. Unfortunately, most WWW image search engines fail to exploit these image semantics and give rise to poor recall and precision performance. In this paper, we propose a novel image representation model called Weigh ...

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